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<b>FEE TRANSMITTAL FOR FY 2005</b>		Application Number	10/032,967
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Filing Date	October 26, 2001
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## **1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

<u>APPLICATION TYPE</u>	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		<u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>
	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____

## **2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

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**Fee Description**

**Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent**

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Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent

#### **Multiple dependent claims**

<b>Total Claims</b>	<b>Extra Claims</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>	<b>Multiple Dependent Claims</b>
41	- 31 or HP =	10	x 25.00	= \$250.00

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (THIRD MONTH)**

Other: Request for Continued Examination (RCE)

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